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Amendments to the Claims

This listing of the claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (currently amended) A system for storing and retrieving data, comprising:
 2. an identifier including three or more variables for identifying each data stored in said system, wherein one of said at least three or more variables is a location variable.
 1. 2. (original) The system of claim 1, wherein one of said three or more variables is a device identification variable.
 1. 3. (original) The system of claim 2, further includes a timestamp for prioritizing said data.
 1. 4. (original) The system of claim 3, wherein one of said variables may be filled by a wildcard.
 1. 5. (original) The system of claim 4, wherein said system includes a registry for storing said data.
 1. 6. (original) The system of claim 5, wherein said registry is provided in a database structure.
 1. 7. (original) The system of claim 1, wherein said three or more variables includes a device identification variable, an application identification variable and a user identification variable.
 1. 8. (original) The system of claim 7, further including a timestamp for prioritizing data.

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1 9. (original) The system of claim 8, wherein one of said variables may be filled by a
2 wildcard.

1 10. (original) The system of claim 9, wherein said system includes a registry and said
2 registry includes a database structure for storing said data.

1 11. (currently amended) A registry for storing and retrieving preference data,
2 comprising:
3 an identifier including at least three variables for identifying a data stored in said registry,
4 wherein one of said at least three or more variables is a location variable.

1 12. (original) The registry of claim 11, further comprising a means for providing a
2 floating value to said at least three variables.

1 13. (original) The registry means of claim 12, further comprising a means for
2 associating a time stamp to said data.

1 14. (currently amended) A method for storing and retrieving data in a system,
2 comprising the step of:
3 identifying each stored data in said system by an identifier including three or more
4 variables, wherein one of said at least three or more variables is a location variable.

1 15. (original) A method according to claim 14, further comprising the step of storing
2 data in a registry.

1 16. (original) A method according to claim 15, wherein one of said three or more
2 variables is a device identification variable.

1 17. (original) A method according to claim 16, further including the step of time
2 stamping said data for prioritizing said data.

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1 18. (original) A method according to claim 17, further including the step of
2 filling one of said variables with a wildcard.

1 19. (original) A method according to claim 18, further including the step of
2 deleting one or more data items that has been superseded by a subsequent data having
3 same identifier but a higher time stamp value.

1 20. (original) A method according to claim 19, wherein said registry is
2 provided in a database structure.

1 21. (new) A system for storing and retrieving data as in claim 1 wherein said
2 location comprised the locating a device.